FORM PTO-1390 (REV. 9-2001)	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTORNEY 'S DOCKET NUMBER							
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)			5088							
			U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5							
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INTERNATIONAL	APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED							
PCT/CH99/00289		02 July 1999								
TITLE OF INVENTION A Solid Formulation of Glucosamine Sulphate										
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US										
Maier et al. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:										
1. X This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.										
4. The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).										
5. 🙀 A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))										
a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).										
b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.										
c. 13 is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).										
6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).										
a. is attached hereto.										
b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
7. X Amendments to the claims of the International Aplication under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))										
a are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).										
b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.										
c. Landa have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. X have not been made and will not be made.										
8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).										
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9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. An English lanugage translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT										
Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).										
items 11 to 20 b	elow concern documen	t(s) or information included:								
11. An Informa	ation Disclosure Stateme	ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.										
13. A FIRST preliminary amendment.										
14. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.										
15. A substitute specification.										
16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.										
17. A compute	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.									
	A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
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20. Other items	20. Other items or information:									



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International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)									
International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)						<u> </u>			
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Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than a months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).									
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	\$					
Total claims	20 - 20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$					
Independent claims	1 - 3 =	0	x \$84.00	\$					
MULTIPLE DEPEN	DENT CLAIM(S) (if app		+ \$280.00	\$					
Applicant claim	TOTAL O	OF ABOVE CALCU	LATIONS =	_\$	890				
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.									
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Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +									
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a. A check in the amount of \$890 to cover the above fees is enclosed.									
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NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.									
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